

Journal of the second Session of Assembly begun

at the City of Annapolis the 25th Day of October in the Eighth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lady Ann Queen of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith &c Anno Domini 1709 But it so happened that several of the Members of the House of Delegates not appearing upon that Day the Honble Council were pleased to prorogue the same until the next Day as by her Majesty's Writ of Proclamation hereafter may appear vizt

In the Name by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland and the Dominions therunto belonging Queen Defender of the Faith &c To the Honble the Members of our Council within this our Province of Maryland and to the Delegates and Representatives of the several Counties and Cities in our said Province Greeting Whereas by Proclamation under the Great Seal of this Province issued the 31st Day of August last you were required to meet at the City of Annapolis the 25th Day of October Instant we have now thought fit further to prorogue you until the 26th Day of the same Month of October at which Time we will and require you to convene yourselves at the said City of Annapolis then and there to consult consent and enact such Things as by the Favour of Almighty God shall happen to be moved and ordained for the Honour and Glory of God, Our Service and Welfare of this our Province whereof you and every of you are not to fail And we do hereby command the several Sheriffs to give you due Notice, as they will answer the contrary at their Peril Given at the City of Annapolis under the Great Seal of this our said Province Witness myself this 25th Day of October in the Eighth Year of our Reign &c Anno Domini 1709 Edward Lloyd

Wednesday 26th Day of October Anno Domini 1709

The House met according to Prorogation and being called over were present as follows

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| Saint Mary's County | Robert Bradley Esq. Speaker | Dorchester County all absent |
| Capt. Tho. Tuoman Greenfield | Charles County | Carl County |
| Capt. Henry Porcaine Jones | Cole James Smallwood | Mr. Matthias Vanderhoyden |
| Mr. Joshua Guibort | Mr. Walter Story | Mr. John Ward |
| Kent County | Baltimore County | Mr. Edward Larromore |
| Mr. Daniel Pearce | Cole James Masfield | Prince Georges County |
| Ann Arundel County | Mr. James Philips | Mr. Robert Tyler |
| Capt. Richard Jones | Mr. Aquila Pace | Queen Ann's County |
| Mr. Daniel Marartoo | Mr. Richard Clogate | Mr. John Salter |
| Mr. Joseph Hill | Talbot County | Mr. John Whittington |
| City Annapolis | Cole Thomas Smithson | Mr. Solomon Wright |
| Worrell Hunt Esq. | Cole Nicholas Lowe | Mr. Philomen Hemoley |
| Tho. Bordley Esq. | Mr. Robert Ungle | |
| Calvert County | Mr. Thomas Robins | |
| Capt. John Mather | Somerset County | |
| Cole Walter Smith | Mr. John West | |
| Mr. Nathaniel Laro | Major George Gale | |
| | Mr. Samuel Worthington | |